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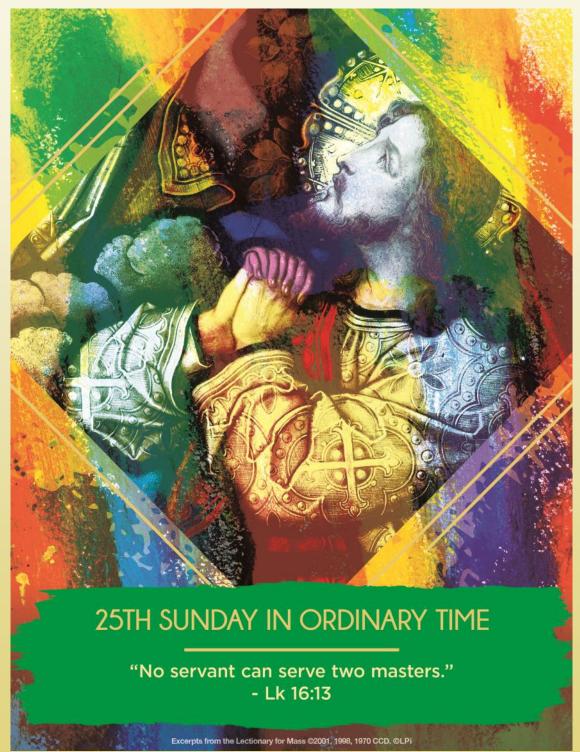
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# Worship Aid and Bulletin

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Covenant Prayer: Father, you have called us to be a People of the Covenant. You sent your only begotten Son to be our Savior so that we might praise You, proclaim your Word, encounter You in the sacraments, welcome each other, share our faith, bring our sacrifices and be strengthened for your service. We pray that we might be a source of compassion toward the poor, justice for the oppressed, peace for the troubled, healing for the wounded, and wisdom for the searching. Pour out your Holy Spirit upon us that we might live the mystery of your love and fulfill the covenant we celebrate in the Eucharist. Father, we ask this in Jesus' name. Amen



#### Greeting

### **Introductory Rites**

Gloria (For Ordinary Time we will sing Mass of Christ the Savior, by Dan Schutte which can be found in your pews) **Opening Prayer** 

Penitential Rite

### Liturgy of the Word

First Reading: Amos 8:4-7

Hear this, you who trample upon the needv

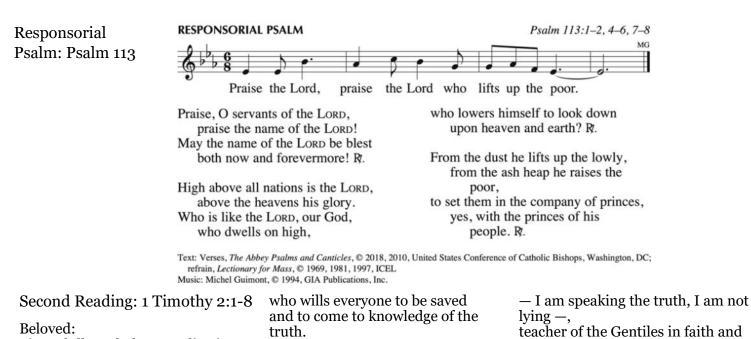
and destroy the poor of the land! "When will the new moon be over,"

you ask,

"that we may sell our grain,

and the sabbath, that we may display the wheat? We will diminish the ephah, add to the shekel. and fix our scales for cheating! We will buy the lowly for silver. and the poor for a pair of sandals; even the refuse of the wheat we will sell!" The LORD has sworn by the pride of Jacob: Never will I forget a thing they have done!

The Word of the Lord R: Thanks be to God



and to come to knowledge of the

There is also one mediator between

who gave himself as ransom for all.

For this I was appointed preacher

For there is one God.

the man Christ Jesus,

God and men,

truth.

time.

and apostle

Beloved:

First of all, I ask that supplications, prayers,

petitions, and thanksgivings be offered for everyone,

for kings and for all in authority, that we may lead a quiet and tranquil This was the testimony at the proper life

in all devotion and dignity.

This is good and pleasing to God our savior,

Gospel Acclamation:

Gospel: Luke 16:1-13

Jesus said to his disciples, "A rich man had a steward

who was reported to him for squandering his property.

He summoned him and said,

'What is this I hear about you? Prepare a full account of your stew-

ardship, because you can no longer be my

steward.

The steward said to himself, 'What shall I do,

now that my master is taking the position of steward away from me? I am not strong enough to dig and I am ashamed to beg.

I know what I shall do so that, when I am removed from the stewardship,

they may welcome me into their homes.'

He called in his master's debtors one by one.

R. Al-le-lu ia, al - le - lu ia, al le

truth.

or argument.

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To the first he said.

'How much do you owe my master?' He replied, 'One hundred measures of olive oil. He said to him, 'Here is your promissory note. Sit down and quickly write one for fifty.' Then to another the steward said, 'And you, how much do you owe?' He replied, 'One hundred kors of wheat.' The steward said to him, 'Here is your promissory note; write one for eighty.' And the master commended that dishonest steward for acting prudently. "For the children of this world are more prudent in dealing with their own generation than are the children of light.

I tell you, make friends for yourselves with dishonest wealth, so that when it fails, you will be wel-

comed into eternal dwellings. The person who is trustworthy in very small matters is also trustworthy in great ones; and the person who is dishonest in very small matters

lu - ia.

It is my wish, then, that in every

lifting up holy hands, without anger

place the men should pray.

The Word of the Lord

R: Thanks be to God

is also dishonest in great ones. If, therefore, you are not trustworthy

with dishonest wealth, who will trust you with true wealth?

If you are not trustworthy with what belongs to another,

who will give you what is yours? No servant can serve two masters. He will either hate one and love the other.

or be devoted to one and despise the other.

You cannot serve both God and mammon."

The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

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### Homily

#### Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with

#### **Universal Prayer**

Music during the

Preparation of the Altar and the Gifts:

the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins

and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

#### **Open My Eyes** Verses 1.O - pen my Lord. Help me to eyes, see your face. 2. O - pen my ears, Lord. Help me to hear your voice. 3. O - pen my like heart, Lord. Help me to love you. 4. I Love. live with - in you. Deep in your heart, 0 \* see. (To verse 2) Lord. O-pen my eyes, Help me to O-pen my hear. (To verse 3) ears, Lord. Help me to love. (To bridge) 0 - pen my Lord. Help me to heart, I live with - in you. Rest now in me. Bridge And the first shall be last, and our eyes are o - pened, and we'll hear like nev-er be - fore. And we'll speak in new ways, D.C. and we'll see God's face in plac-es we've nev-er known.

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Preface Dialogue Preface Acclamation Memorial Acclamation The Great Amen

### Eucharistic Acclamations can now be found in the Pew

### **Communion Rite**

Lord's Prayer Lamb of God

Communion Antiphon: I am the Good Shpeherd, says the Lord; I know my sheep, and mine know mq.

### Liturgy of the Eucharist



Communion

Blessing

Solemn

Sending

Forth:

Dismissal

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### Thank you for worshipping with us today, and we are praying for you and your family!

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Weekend Mass Times Summer Schedule Saturday Vigil—4:30 p.m. Sunday— 8:00 a.m. and 9:45 a.m. live-streamed at 9:45 a.m. on Facebook and YouTube



You Tube

on Facebook and YouTube Weekday Mass in the Chapel

Mon—8:15 a.m. Eucharistic Service Tues-Sat—8:15 a.m.

JGS offers Sunday Mass via livestream, either on our Facebook Page or on our Youtube page. Don't miss out. Like us on Facebook or join our YouTube Channel.



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

I hope you are able to join us for our MINISTRY FAIR today in the Centre! My deep thanks go to all who have organized it, put it together and are now ready to share all the good things with you about our special community at Jesus the Good Shepherd!



Next Sunday, of course, is COVENANT SUNDAY. Again, many have worked very hard to make our annual celebration the success it always is. It is the biggest social all year for our community. So, please come and be part of it. We celebrate God's presence among each other in our community of faith here at JGS.

A young saint, St. Dominic Savio, is credited with saying, "I am not capable of doing big things, but I want to do everything, even the smallest things, for the greater glory of God." There is no task so small then, that it cannot be done for the glory of God. Today, then, let us resolve to carry out our tasks – whatever their size – with honesty and trustworthiness.

Let us pray. Loving God, as we celebrate our Ministry Fair and Covenant Sunday, in you we place all our trust. Make us your servants, and guard us from the snares that would distract us from you. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

I look forward to seeing you this weekend and next for the Ministry Fair and Covenant Sunday. God bless you!

Father Mike



Weekend Mass Intentions for September 17-18, 2022						
Sat	4:30 PM	For the repose of the soul of Julia Pagan, on her birthday, at the request of the Talbot family				
Sun	8:00 AM	For the repose of the soul Clint Johnson, husband of Cindy, at the request of the Kathy Mann				
Sun	10:45 AM	For the repose of the soul of Sue Baczynski at the request of Lorraine Boccabella				

Mass Intentions for September 19-23, 2022							
Mon	9/12	8:15 AM	Eucharistic Service				
Tues	9/13	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Al Nagle, husband of Marlene, at the request of Judy and Jennifer				
Wed	9/14	8:15 AM	M For the Holy Souls in Purgatory				
Thurs	9/15	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Patty Horabik, wife of Mike, at the request of Tim and Cindy Parlett				
Fri	9/16	8:15 AM	For the repose of the soul of Bonnie Duckworth, sister of Susan Cleary, at the request of the Laidley family				
Sat	9/17	8:15 AM	Special Intention				

### The Virtue of Hospitality



- Arts & Crafts
- **Face Painting**
- Games & Prizes for Kids Bounce House Slip and Slide (remember to
- bring your towel or change of clothes) Cake Walk
- Pie Eating Contest
- Minute to Win It Games for High Schoolers Family Kickball

- Popcorn, Snow Cones, and Cotton Candy
- Saint Scavenger Hunt for Kids

- Smoked, pulled pork Grilled herb chicken
- Hot dogs and baked beans
- Potato or pasta salad and
- potato chips Lemonade, iced tea, water
- Potluck Dessert Tent (Last names N-Z are asked to bring a dessert)



### For scrolls—go to ccjgs.org/covenant-sunday



Stay tuned for the October Community Dinner-Saturday, October 1 after the 4:30 p.m. Mass. More details coming soon.



#### **COORDINATOR NEEDED !**

Have you been called to the ministry of Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion? Are you ready to serve your church in a deeper way through the Eucharistic Revival this year? We are in need of a Coordinator for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (Eucharistic Ministers or Ems). The EM Coordinator meets quarterly on the Liturgy Committee and assist others with training to be a Eucharistic Minister. This is a wonderful position if you are looking for a spiritually fulfilling way to serve. Please contact Katie at 410-257-3810 ext 1017 or music@ccjgs.org

#### ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE COORDINATOR

We are in need of a person to coordinate the seasonal church decorating. This person works closely with Katie and Father Mike within the Liturgical Calendar of Advent, Christmas, Lent, Easter and Ordinary Time. There are wonderful ideas and beautiful designs for our reflective environment here at JGS! And we need someone to keep that running!! There is a scrapbook of all seasonal environments for the coordinator use. Please contact Katie if you are interested or have more questions at music@ccjgs.org or 410-257-3810 ext 1017.

Ministry Fair—TODAY!! SUNDAY— September 18th! Our Ministries are working very hard creating displays and organizing volunteers to be present to meet you! All are welcome, come see where you can

plug in your gifts at JGS!

\*Come and talk with ministry leaders and members \*Learn about our many ministries/service groups

#### 5:00 Mass resumes for the month of October

Sunday evening Mass will resume on a trial basis for the month of October. Liturgical Ministers are needed. Please sign up as soon as possible on MSP or contact Katie Evans at music@ccjgs.org.



YOU'RE INVITED! CATHOLIC HERIT-AGE PILGRIMAGE TOUR: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2022 TO THE SETON SHRINE, EMMITSBURG, MD. Departure from JGS: 7 a.m.; Return, 5:30 p.m. Come and take a tour of sites from the life of America's first nativeborn saint, St. Elizabeth Seton, when she lived in Emmitsburg from 1809 to

1821. Tour includes roundtrip bus from JGS, lunch, Seton Shrine, Basilica where she is buried, Heritage Tour, Gift Shop. Led by Fr. Mike - a great tour guide! To receive a registration form, kindly contact: secretary@ccjgs.org; 410-257-3810 x 1000/1001 and leave your name and contact information. Thank you!



**ATTENTION ALL LADIES - THE WALKING WITH** PURPOSE (WWP) BIBLE STUDY BEGINS THIS FALL!!!! We look forward to welcoming back all our familiar faces and any new faces interested in joining us.

Please open your heart and mind to this beautiful ministry and be prepared for the gift of transformation.

follows:					
Monday Mornings 9:30-11:30 am	Begins 9/26/22	WWP Bible Study: Ordering Your Priorities			
Tuesday Mornings 9:30-11:30 am	Begins 9/27/22	/27/22 Regins WWP Bible Study: Ordering Your			
Tuesday Evenings 7-9 pm	Begins 10/11/22				
Thursday Evenings 6:30-8:30 pm	Begins 9/29/22	"The Chosen" Series: Season 1 (Fall Program) WWP Bible Study: Fearless and Free (Winter Program)			

We have 4 options for you to choose from. The Fall schedule is as

Registration Forms are available on the top shelf in the Centre. The registration fee is \$15 and covers the full year. For the groups doing a WWP Bible study, there will be an additional cost of \$25 for the book fee.

If you have any questions or want to discuss WWP in more detail, please do not hesitate to reach out to me - I would love to connect with you!! Please contact Jen Olson at jen m olson@yahoo.com or at 202-330-3993. 7

### The Virtue of Spirituality

**Religious Education:** Helps to build a strong foundation

#### **Faith Formation Schedule**

Children's Faith: - 9/18, morning and evening classes meet. Prayer service and parent meeting in the church at 6:20 for evening faith formation families.

**Confirmation:** 9/18—class begins at 6:20 in the Centre

**ACT Youth**—9/18—Kickoff at the Pavilion, RSVP via flocknote or to deaconpaul@ccjgs.org.

9/25—Covenant Sunday, all should attend the outdoor Mass at 11:00 a.m. followed by a picnic and festivities.

10/1—all classes resume. Meet in your usual classrooms.



INTERESTED IN THE CATHOLIC FAITH? never baptized, or maybe baptized Catholic, but in need of the Sacraments of Confirmation/Eucharist? We welcome you! The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is for you! Classes

begin this fall but registration is now open. Kindly contact Michael Dorsett at 301-518-5711 or mdorsett@gosps.com

#### PRAYERS FOR THE MILITARY

Staff Sergeant Christopher R. Skirchak; LT jg Matthew Schwartz; Steve Looney; Billy Loonev; Will Jones; LCDR Alex Scott; Nicholas Majers; David Keffer; James Lanson Weeks; Captain Robert Patterson, USMC; McConnell; Ian Torr; LT Nadila Khan. USN: Ross Noon; Col Phil Noltemeyer; Matthew Cullens; William Ryan Thayer; LT. Col. Brian Genelin; Michael Parker; Michael Henry Thayer; Gerald Cullens; Scott

Mega; Capt. Kal Bassma; Mark Smith; Jacob Floyd; Joseph Maso-

ero; Christopher Kuczek; Tyler Menoche; Tim Addison; Dylan Rayfield; Joshua Snyder; Brennan Michael Metler; Joey Wyvill; Shane Nissen; Lt. Ridge Alkonis, USN; Kyle Kampson; Katie Kampson



Please contact the church office to

have a name added to this list.

#### PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

The sick: Dom Raino; Ann Marie Dardinski; Maria C. Ortiz; Father John Dakes; Marguerite Suite; Meghan Knapp; Leslie Brooks; Robert J. Koehler; Alex Lobianco; Marty Oberman; Laura Ogdon; Michael Davis; Jack DeGrange, Sr.; Thomas Haug; Dante Nazzaro; Nick B.; Doug W.; Patrick Michael Guest; Jean Mensh; Thomas Haug; Lorraine Dusseau; Anita Stuck Culkin; Gail Ricker; Les Silva; Marilyn Cooney; Chuck Kuhn; Dolores Marinaccio; Gina Richardson; Tony Dockum; Janet Barna; John Barna; Riley Bodenhorn; Linda Patterson; James Richardson, Sr.; Katie Lakie; Elaine Shelby; Keith Hanagriff; Tim Connors; Alma Marie Streicker; Anne Brophy; Bob Adams; Marsha Dunn; Janet Cleary; Pat Conway; Leslie Hill; Bobbie Martin; Chad Martin.

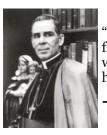
Friends/relatives in need of prayer and for those who have died contact the church office monthly to include them in our bulletin.

#### Lenten Mission to TN

Deacon Paul will be leading a Lenten Mission in TN from March 6 through March 10, 2023 at the Holy Family Catholic Church in Lafayette TN. This is a great opportunity for adults from our community to participate in a "mission trip" experience. The trip will include a Lenten Retreat program for Holy Family parishioners during the day and will include an evening program for the youth of their community where we will work with them in small groups to build faith and community. While there is no cost for the retreat or mission, participants will be expected to pay for their own travel and accommodations. If you are interested in going, have any questions, or want to know how you can help, contact Deacon Paul at deaconpaul@ccjgs.org.



Eucharistic Adoration - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held every Thursday from 8:45 a.m.-8:00 p.m. Sign-ups are in the atrium or emailed via flocknote every week. Please sign up to spend one hour with Jesus.



#### **Time/Talent/Treasure**

"Show me your hands. Do they have scars from giving? Show me your feet. Are they wounded in service? Show me your heart. have you left a place for divine love?"

Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen

#### AFTER ROE V. WADE: WHAT CAN WE DO NOW?

Although the recent SCOTUS decision is a positive step in the protection of the unborn, Marylanders should be aware that our politicians will most likely redouble their efforts to enshrine the right to abortion into Maryland law.

Earlier this year, this effort failed through the heroic efforts of many thousands of Pro-Lifers who overwhelmed the MD Senate committee considering this bill. While we must continue and also redouble our efforts to challenge our politicians through emails, texts, tweets, speaking up at political forums, etc., there are other ways we can promote the sanctity of life. These include:

• Support of Crisis Pregnancy Resource Centers, such as Birthright and CareNet, by volunteering our time and contributing our treasure to help mothers avoid abortion;

• Donate to organizations such as Maryland Life to Right and the Maryland Catholic Conference that fight abortion in Maryland. They are also in dire need of volunteers to assist in their work;

• Prayer Vigil or Sidewalk Counsel at abortion centers. Our Jesus the Good Shepherd/Pro-Life Ministry/Knights of Columbus participates every Tuesday afternoon in College Park. Studies have shown that the mere presence of Pro-Lifers in front of abortion centers influences many women to keep their babies. There is no better feeling in the world than to know that someone will enjoy the sacred gift of life because you were there to pray for them!

• Pray, especially the Rosary! The evil of abortion will only be finally overcome through divine intervention. Prayer works. While it is easy to get discouraged in our current environment, remember that our Blessed Mother promised at Fatima that "in the end my Immaculate Heart will triumph!"



PLACE YOUR SHARE FOOD ORDER BY SUN. SEPT 11 PICK UP YOUR ORDER SAT. SEPT 24 FROM 9-10:30 AM at JGS. Groceries are expensive!! But a Share Food Value Package is just \$25. Each Value Package includes 4-6

pounds of frozen protein and 8-12 pounds of fresh produce. And remember, Share is open to EVERYONE! To view the Share Food Menu for this month, please visit <u>https://</u>

www.catholiccharitiesdc.org/share/ For questions, or to order by phone, text or email, contact Lynn Robinson 301-467-8550 or lynn@rwminc.com.

**COUNTY FAIR VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!** Volunteers are needed to man the Calvert County Right to Life booth at the Calvert County Fair Wed. Sept. 28 through Sun. Oct. 2. This is an excellent opportunity to evangelize for the sanctity of life, especially among our youth, many of whom never hear this message at home and/or school. If you can help contact JGS Pro-Life FP Buzz Burek (phone: 301-812-1868; e-mail -

buzzburek@comcast.net) or text Susan Burek (301-751-1538). Thanks!



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**Thursdays from** 8:45 a.m.-8:00 p.m. Please sign in using the sign-in sheet on the table next to the door.



SATURDAYS 3:00-4:00 P.M.



**OFFICE HOURS** Monday—Thursday 9:00 a.m. — 4:00 p.m.

Contact Laura Cleary at 410-257-3810 (secretary@ccjqs.org) for Mass Cards/ Intentions; Sponsor Certificates (for Sacraments) or to place bulletin announcements. Deadline for bulletin items is Thursday at noon, 10 days before the weekend you want your article to appear. Thank you!





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CARDINAL HICKEY ACADEMY PRESENTS DESIGNER BAG BINGO Friday, September 30, 2022 \* Doors Open @ 5:30 PM \* Bingo Starts at 6:30 PM Location: Jesus the Divine Word \* 885 Cox Road Huntingtown

Tickets are \$30 each - Everyone entering the Bingo hall must have a

ticket Admission includes 20 Regular Bingo Games and 2 Special Games Additional Bingo packets will be sold for \$5 per pack/ Additional Special cards will also be sold for \$2 each Gift Card Tree \* Lottery Tree \* 50/50

Info:301-536-0727 or Shellyt0423@gmail.com





THANK YOU, THANK YOU TO JGS PARISHIONS FOR YOUR DONATIONS! On September 1, 320lbs of donated groceries were delivered to the Ladies of Charity Food Pantry. There's a new bin in the Centre for the food we collect for the Food Pantry! Thank you Patrick Ryon.

The most needed items are peanut butter & jelly. Your donations are a great help to our neighbors in need!

SACRIFICIAL GIVING for the	weekend	of <u>September 11, 2022:</u>
Weekly Offertory	\$	6,139

Thank you We need \$7025 weekly in offertory to stay afloat for your We need \$32,500 monthly in Faith Direct to stay afloat generosity! \*Egiving through FaithDirect is calculated monthly.

Set-up Automated Sunday Offertory. Simple online donations. Click or go to ccjgs.org/partners or use the QR code. Thank you for supporting JGS. God Bless!

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**NEW TO PARISH?** – Welcome to our Catholic Community! We encourage you to register with us as soon as possible. To register go to <u>ccjgs.org/im-new</u>. The best way to connect with us is through Flocknote. **From your phone:** Text: 84576 Keyword: ccjgs **From your computer:** https:// app.flocknote.com/ccjgs. To be eligible for admission to our Children's Faith Formation Program, reception of the Sacraments or to receive testimonial letters for sponsorship, an individual must be a registered, participating member of the parish, attend the sacraments, and support the parish via offertory and involvement.

**RCIA** – We welcome adults interested in becoming Catholic into our RCIA program. Please contact coordinator Michael Dorsett at 301-518-5711 mdorsett@gosps.com or the pastor at pastor@ccjgs.org or 410-257-3810 x1003.

**BAPTISM PREPARATION** - Parents seeking baptism are encouraged to call the church office at 410-257-3810 or email receptionist@ccjgs.org. We invite all new (and expecting!) parents to a baptism retreat to be held 3 times per year.

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY** - We rejoice with members who are preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage. Please contact our office at least **six months** in advance; otherwise, dates cannot be guaranteed. <u>Please do not set a date before making Church arrangements first</u>. Dates for weddings will not be arranged before a preliminary meeting.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK AND HOLY COMMUNION: Please contact the church office if you or a family member is homebound, in the hospital, or in a nursing home and would like to receive these sacraments. We will do our best as restrictions allow during the pandemic.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION/PENANCE: Saturdays 3:00-4:00 p.m. or by appointment.

Request for all Sacramental Records [Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist, Marriage]: Please allow five business days to process.

Mission Statement: "We, the Roman Catholic Parish of Jesus the Good Shepherd Catholic Community, have chosen to serve the Lord by evangelizing through the virtues of Hospitality, Spirituality and Stewardship." <sup>10</sup>



